

## RAILROAD NEWS

Wheat Crop Will Boost Summer Earnings.

Railroads Ready to Start Grain to Markets.

U. P. BRINGS NEW EQUIPMENT

Spend \$1,500,000 for Better Passenger Service.

New Orders Are for All Steel Cars Only.

Increased loadings and earnings are expected to be shown in the returns for the month of June by western and southwestern railroads. Gains have been made in the past few weeks and the returns show better than last year on a majority of roads.

Many thousands of cars are in Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska and Colorado to move the grain now ready for market or to be within a few weeks. The Rock Island has over 6,000 cars and all other roads touching the wheat belt have thousands of freight cars which are beginning to move eastward. Crop prospects everywhere are good, wheat being excellent throughout the central west, corn being good in most places and oats having a fair crop.

RECEIVERS ARE NAMED.  
C. H. & D. Railway Passes Into Hands of the Courts.

Cincinnati, July 3.—Judge Harmon, former attorney general of the United States, and Judge Rufus B. Smith of this city have been appointed receivers for the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway, application for which was filed in the United States district court on behalf of the Bankers' Trust company of New York. The bond of each receiver was placed at \$50,000. The petition asking for the receivers declared the bonded indebtedness of the railroad is \$75,000,000 and charged the railroad has defaulted on the interest of \$29,190,000 first mortgage and refunding fifty year gold bonds; on \$3,162,000 bonds of the Indiana, Decatur & Western railroad and \$4,722,000 bonds of the Cincinnati, Indiana & Western railway.

The petition of the Bankers' Trust company seeks the foreclosure of a mortgage, which is estimated at \$35,000,000 and asks that officials and employees of the railway company be enjoined from interfering with transferring or disposing of any of the property of the company.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton was thrown into the hands of a receiver in 1905, following the taking over of the property by the J. Pierpont Morgan company of New York. Judge Harmon, who was appointed receiver at that time, continued in that capacity until 1908, when the property was sold to the Baltimore & Ohio railway company, the latter company guaranteeing certain of the securities.

EQUIPMENT DISPOSED OF.  
And Now the United States Express Co. Is a Thing of the Past.

New York, July 3.—The United States Express company, which withdrew from the transportation field July 1, has been active for six years as a common carrier. With the exception of a few hundred miles of electric traction lines, the mileage operated by the company has been taken over by the American Express company, Well, Fargo and Co., and the Adams Express company, the first two corporations taking over the larger portion.

The properties of the retiring company have been for the most part appraised and it has been successful in disposing of most of its horses and wagon equipment in all important centers. Well, Fargo and company will act as its agent in carrying out contracts for handling money shipments.

G. E. McKibben has been agent for the United States Express company in Topeka until the retirement a few days ago. Topeka has been made the headquarters of the American Express company for the Rock Island lines west of St. Louis, with C. L. Chase as superintendent.

WHEAT RESULTS IN STATE.

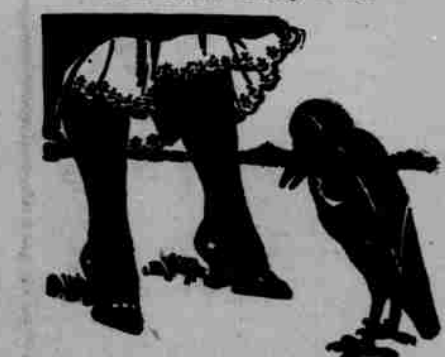
Santa Fe Freight Department Will Issue Threshing Report.

Larned, Kan., July 3.—According to Division Freight Agent C. A. Walker of the Santa Fe the freight department of that road is getting in many reports on threshing returns from various sections of the wheat belt.

"These reports show more yields

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"GETS IT" for Corns

It Will Startle You How "GETS-IT" Gets Corns Every Time.



"This is No Place for a Corn. How Corns Are All Gone. The Best Ever Used 'GETS-IT'."

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"GETS-IT" is sold by all druggists, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.—Adv.

## MINNESOTA DEMS NAME HAMMOND



W. S. Hammond.

Congressman W. S. Hammond won the Democratic nomination for governor at Minnesota's recent statewide primary election, defeating Daniel W. Lawler by a majority of less than 1,000. Mr. Hammond has been in congress since 1907. He is a graduate of Dartmouth college and taught school from 1884 until 1890. He was admitted to the Minnesota bar in 1891, since which time he has practiced law. He is unmarried.

above 30 bushels than below that figure," said Mr. Walker. Most of the threshing so far has been done in the eastern part of the division, the cutting still being under way in this section. The first wheat shipped from the Rock Mill & Elevator Co. is tested 60 to 61 and brought 65 cents. The first wheat sold here was bought of R. L. Gum by The Pawnee Grain & Supply Co. and tested about 60. It brought 65 cents.

HIS FIRST DAY'S WORK.

Young Harriman Enters Heartily Into Vice President Business.

New York, July 3.—William Averell Harriman's first day as vice president of the Union Pacific railroad company was a very busy one and he refused to see nearly all callers. As vice president in charge of the purchasing department Mr. Harriman will supervise the purchase of many millions of dollars annually of freight cars, locomotives, rails and all other materials needed by a transcontinental railroad.

Mr. Harriman's mother is extremely interested in the work of her 23 year old son. She visited him to see his office on the twenty-fourth floor of No. 165 Broadway. Later she went to luncheon with him.

Mr. Harriman has already gained the reputation of being an unassuming sensible fellow, absorbed in his work.

ORDERS PASSENGER EQUIPMENT  
Union Pacific Is Looking Forward to Prosperous Times.

Anticipating a continuation of prosperity and a big increase in business, the Union Pacific has placed an order with the Pullman company asking for the delivery of about \$1,500,000 worth of passenger equipment, the first of which will come the middle of August. The new equipment will be of all steel construction of the most modern type and will consist of the following: Thirty chairs, ten coaches, twenty parlor cars, eight observation, twenty diners, ten postal and twenty baggage cars. Of the baggage cars, seventeen will be seventy-three feet in length, or seventeen feet longer than the regular cars. All told there are 107 cars in the order.

DELAYED FAST MAIL TRAIN.

Two Men Lock Themselves in Baggage Car in Nebraska Town.

North Platte, Neb., July 3.—By locking themselves in a baggage coach and refusing to open the door when ordered to by officers, two men, who gave their names as William Buck and John McLellan, delayed a mail train for nearly thirty minutes Sunday at Julesburg. The windows of the car were broken open before officers could unlodge the unwelcome visitors.

Buck and McLellan were arrested and brought to this city. It is probable that a federal charge will be brought against them for delaying the mail train.

## FOUND DEAD IN SWAMP

Bodies of a Man and Two Unidentified Women.

Atlanta, Ga., July 3.—The bodies of S. F. Bennett and two unidentified women were found in a swamp at East Point, a suburb of Atlanta early today. Wounds indicated that all three had been shot. The bodies of the women were covered with brush while that of Bennett lay in the open a few yards away. The coroner of Fulton county has been summoned to investigate.

According to the police there were indications that Bennett killed the two women with a shot gun and after covering their bodies with brush fastened the gun to a stump stood before it and discharged it with a twig. The charge tore a great hole in his chest.

While the women have not yet been identified, it is thought they were Bennett's wife and mother-in-law. Bennett, who lived in East Point, was last seen on Thursday. He formerly resided at Loganville, Ga.

## DUNCAN AT HEAD.

General Superintendent Parker Appoints St. Joe Terminal Successor.

R. J. Parker, general superintendent of the Santa Fe, today announced the appointment of H. M. Duncan, agent at Streator, Ill., as superintendent of terminals at St. Joseph, succeeding C. L. Mason. Duncan will take up his active duties in a day or two.

The appointment of T. H. Sears, superintendent of the Missouri division of the road, who has been made general superintendent in Texas, has caused several other promotions. R. H. Allison, trainmaster at Emporia and former train dispatcher at Topeka, succeeded Sears, and C. L. Mason took his place.

## PLACES TO VOTE

List of Precinct Headquarters Announced at City Hall.

First Election Since Topeka Was Redistricted.

ONLY 18 DAYS TO REGISTER

Books at Commissioner's Office Close July 23.

Voters Will Have to Become Acquainted With Localities.

Barber shops, groceries, cleaning establishments, parlors and reception rooms will be open to voters at the August primaries the fourth of next month. The election commissioner has completed his list of polling places, with the exception of the fourth, fifth and sixth precincts in the third ward. Ballots will be handled from six in the morning until seven at night. Last year several women served as clerks and judges, and it is expected that a number will be sworn in this month.

This is the first election held since the re-districting of the city. There are 30 precincts, each to be equipped with a polling place, two clerks and three judges. Commissioner Kemper has been busy for a month, interviewing tradesmen and housekeepers to obtain suitable bureaus for Topekaans to cast their votes.

Tomorrow the election commissioner's office, as well as the rest of the city building, will be closed. Only 18 more days in which to register.

List of Booths.

Following is the list of voting stations which have been engaged at \$5 per day for the August primaries:

First Ward.  
First Precinct—818 N. Kansas avenue.  
Second Precinct—811 N. Kansas avenue.

Third Ward.  
First Precinct—223 Jefferson street.  
Second Precinct—401 Madison street.  
Third Precinct—812 East Fourth street.  
Fourth Precinct—921 East Sixth avenue.

Fifth Ward.  
First Precinct—Auditorium.  
Sixth Precinct—1602 Seward street.  
Seventh Precinct—421 Leland street.

Third Ward.  
First Precinct—934 Kansas avenue.  
Second Precinct—931 Kansas avenue.

Third Precinct—507 West Tenth avenue.

Fourth Ward.  
First Precinct—208 West Sixth.  
Second Precinct—Provident association.

Fifth Ward.  
First Precinct—622 West Sixth.  
Fourth Precinct—1021 West Sixth.  
Fifth Precinct—1010 West Second.

Sixth Ward.  
First Precinct—1312 West Euclid.  
Second Precinct—1424 Kansas avenue.

Third Precinct—611 East Tenth.  
Fourth Precinct—1725 Kansas avenue.  
Fifth Precinct—1901 Lincoln.

Sixth Ward.  
First Precinct—338 Woodlawn.  
Second Precinct—Eight and Morris.

Third Precinct—1130 Morris.

## WHO SHOT MILLER?

Somebody Was Trying to Blow Up Home of Westinghouse President.

Pittsburgh, Pa., July 3.—Westinghouse strikers today voting on whether they would accept the proposition of the companies and return to work. Balloting began at Turtle Creek at 7 o'clock and continued almost without interruption.

Details of what is believed to have been an attempt to destroy the residence of E. M. Herr, president of the Westinghouse electric and manufacturing company, were made public today, when it became known that Robert Miller, a steam heating contractor, was in a Wilkesburg hospital, with a bullet hole in his hand.

According to the story, Miller saw a man creeping along a hedge at the Herr residence in Edgewood, Tuesday night. He attempted to intercept the man and three shots were fired at him. Four pounds of dynamite with a 20-foot fuse attached were found on the Herr lawn. Troopers of the state constabulary, county detectives and the police today were hunting for the man who shot Miller.

## QUAKERS GET WILSON.

President to Be Orator of Fourth at Philadelphia.

Washington, July 3.—President Wilson will leave Washington tomorrow morning at 7 o'clock for Philadelphia to be the principal speaker at the Fourth of July celebration in Independence square. He has not yet prepared his speech, but it was said at the White House today his address will be devoted largely to patriotism.

He will arrive at Philadelphia at 10:30 a. m. and leave for Washington at noon. He will be accompanied by his secretary, Mr. Tumulty, and by Dr. Cary T. Grayson, his naval aide and physician.

## Freckle-Face

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots. How to Remove Easily.

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of othine—a double strength from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

DREAMS FORETELL  
BIG DIAMOND THEFT

Joseph Fischer.

Albert S. Samuels and his brother-in-law, C. Reiss, are the owners of a jewelry store in San Francisco. A few nights ago each dreamed that their store had been robbed and that the jewelry had been taken by a trusted employee, Joseph Fischer. Arriving at the store the following morning they found all the jewelry gone. Fischer had disappeared.

## BRUNSON GOES UP.

Santa Fe Valuation Employee in Topeka to I. C. C. at Kansas City.

Thomas R. Brunson of Topeka, one of the successful candidates in the competitive examination given in July, 1913, by the interstate commerce commission, has been appointed junior engineer in the valuation department of the division offices of the interstate commerce commission at Kansas City.

Mr. Brunson has been connected with the valuation department of the Santa Fe in Topeka for the last eighteen months. Previous to this time he was employed by the Rock Island for about three years in valuation work in Kansas and Oklahoma.

A number of other men in the engineering department of the Santa Fe took the examination and will probably receive appointments soon.

Mr. Adams, formerly engineer of shop extensions for the Santa Fe in Topeka, is now at the head of the Kansas City office of the interstate commerce commission valuation office. He received his appointment several months ago.

SNAP SHOTS  
AT HOME NEWS.

The city commission met today to approve the semi-monthly payroll. Fred Robertson, United States district attorney, will make the Fourth of July address at his home in Atwood.

Mayor Coffey will be out of town tomorrow, and was obliged to decline Manager Albert Patten's offer to drive the last spike into the Gage Park car line.

The current report that the city had declined permission to exhibit fireworks in Garfield park was unfounded. Rockets and Roman candles will be exhibited there tomorrow night.

There will be no meeting of the Topeka Motorcycle club at the Commercial club quarters tonight. A number of the members have gone to Dodge City for the big Fourth of July races.

All the officers and employees in the county court house will observe the Fourth of July tomorrow—chiefly by attending picnics in various parts of the county and distributing campaign literature.

The regular monthly meeting of the Shawnee branch of the Kansas State Poultry federation will be held tonight at the Commercial club quarters. All persons interested in poultry are invited to attend.

Bids for sewers Nos. 35 and 39, re-advertised for today, must be on file in the office of the city clerk by 10:30 o'clock, Wednesday morning, July 3. Bids must be sealed and accompanied by certified check for \$1,000.

Mr. George W. Burroughs, of the firm of Burroughs, Jones & Birch, printers, 830 Kansas avenue, has sold his interest in the printing business to his partners, Messrs. Jones & Birch, who will continue the business under the firm name of Jones & Birch—Adv.

The west end of the high school building now looks like a ghost of itself. The interior has been stripped in readiness for remodeling. The excavating is being done preparatory to constructing the addition on the west of the present structure.

The Kansas State Historical society is making a campaign for new membership with the hope that its first annual meeting next October in its new quarters in Memorial hall will be the largest in its history. Life membership in the organization, entitling the holder to all the publications of the society, costs but ten dollars.

A good many Topeka people who are planning to spend the Fourth in the country have made a vain search for fireworks to take with them into the neutral territory. But the scarcity of explosives is even scarier than the scarcity of forbidden drinks. The Fourth will be absolutely pop-less unless a few automobile tires are sacrificed.

The telegraph poles on East Fourth street between Kansas avenue and Holliday street will be removed by August 1, complying with the order of the city commission, according to communication received today by the city clerk from W. C. Titley, division plant superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph company. The ground cable has been installed. The wires will be placed underground in two weeks.

Ross Swingley, assistant to Secretary George E. Clark of the State fair association, and the man who really knows more about the details of that office through his long connection with it, than anybody else, says there is a fine lineup for the racing events of the coming state fair. At least three big stakes have never entered here will put horses on the Topeka track for the first time.

Commissioner Newland's plan for beautifying Topeka lawns was not made plain in last night's State Journal, owing to a typographical error. Commissioner Newland is considering splitting

differences with consumers who consent to sprinkle their lawns if the new plan is put in operation. If your July water bill is \$2 when you don't sprinkle your lawn, and your August bill \$4 when you do, the city will send you a bill for \$2.

The Santa Fe engineers and firemen at Fort Madison, Ia., will have a union meeting July 8, on the program of which there will be three Topeka men. James E. Thomas, of the Santa Fe hospital board, will respond to the address of welcome. J. F. Jarrell, publicity agent, will make a talk on the relation of engineers to the public, and Walter Keiser, chairman of the firemen's grievance committee, will give an address on the subject, "Our Brotherhood." The Fort Madison meeting will be an important one. The day following the addresses, the engineers and firemen, with their wives and families, will have a steamboat excursion on the Mississippi river.

French Aviator Killed.  
Rheims, France, July 3.—Corporal Gabriel Godefray, of the French army aviation corps, was killed and Corporal Emile Mitrat fatally injured today by a fall in a monoplane of 100 feet. They had lost control of the machine.

Even More Deserving.  
Beggars—Mister, I ain't had nothin' to eat for two days.

Gentleman—You told me that very same story a week ago.  
Beggars—Oh! Then surely, boss, you'll help a poor man what ain't had nothin' to eat for nine days?—Boston Transcript.

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